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Tiffany Nwaedozie	Belgooly	Colette Kelly	200m	24.05 (+1.9)	24.38i	24.40	Carlow	24/05/2026
							Athlone	28/03/2026
Evelyn Kwik	DSD	Olive Murphy	400m	55.52		55.60	Castellion	23/05/2026
Aisling Shevlin	Ratoath	Peter Doherty	400m	55.33		55.60	Carlow	23/05/2026
		Patricia Power	400mh	61.24		61.40	Carlow	24/05/2026
Elle-Kate McRae	Midleton	Joan Hough	400mh	59.43	59.55	61.40	Tullamore	17/05/2025
					61.12		Tullamore	30/05/2026
							Castleisland	16/05/2026
Freya Bateman	Belgooly	Eugene O'Connor	800m	2:09.04	2:09.31i	2:09.50	Clonmel	02/05/2026
							Athlone	14/03/2026
Isabelle Gaffney	West	Raivis Zakis	800m	2:06.10	2:06.29	2:09.50	Belfast	23/05/2026
	Waterford						Clonmel	02/05/2026

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Tara-Rose Smith	Finn Valley	Mark Connolly Sinead Kenny	800m	2:07.63	2:09.37	2:09.50	Clonmel	02/05/2026
							Belfast	09/05/2026
Faye Mannion	Ennis Track	Pat Hogan	800m	2:07.79	2:09.06	2:09.50	Belfast	09/05/2026
							Clonmel	02/05/2026
Aisling Kelly	Ennis Track	Pat Hogan	800m	2:08.15		2:09.50	Belfast	09/05/2026
Madison Welby	City of Lisburn	Lynn Welby & Honore Hoedt	800m	2:09.14		2:09.50	Belfast	23/05/2026
Freya Renton	Westport	Bryan Renton Hilary Hughes	1500m	4:22.08i		4:25.50	Athlone	14/03/2026
			3000m		9:33.70		9:35.00	Tullamore
Emma Hickey	United Striders	David McCarthy	1500m	4:23.16		4:25.50	Belfast	09/05/2026
			3000m		9:31.75		9:35.00	Tullamore

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Ava Colreavy	Sligo	Dermot McDermott	3000m	9:28.60		9:35.00	Tullamore	30/05/2026
Ally Duffy	Tullamore Harriers	Damian Lawlor	2000m s/c	6:45.00		6:55.00	Busto Arsizio, IT	03/05/2026
Lucie Cawley	Sligo	Dermot McDermott	2000m s/c	6:41.13	6:45.23	6:55.00	Saint-Lo, FR Busto Arsizio, IT	17/05/2026 03/05/2026
Abby Smith	Shercock	Anne Carroll	2000m s/c	6:53.65		6:55.00	Carlow	23/05/2026
Tara Laverty	Carrick Aces	Peter Collins	Discus	47.32m	46.17m	44.30m	Tullamore	12/04/2026 14/02/2026
Emer Purtill	Dooneen	John Sheehan	Heptathlon	5206 points		5200 points	Somerset, UK	25/04 & 26/04/2026
			Shot Put	15.45m	15.44m	15.44m	Tullamore Castleisland	30/05/2026 17/05/2026
Leah O'Gara	Finn Valley	Sinead O'Connell	5000m Walk	24:47		25:15	Podebrady	08/05/2026

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Christopher Olatunde	Ratoath	Peter Doherty	200m	21.58i	21.69 (+1.0)	21.80	Athlone	28/03/2026
							Carlow	24/05/2026
Ethan Carr	Ballymena & Antrim	Graeme Carr	400m	48.62	48.67	48.75	Tullamore Belfast	30/05/2026 23/05/2026
Daniel Downey	Portlaoise	Mark Downey	400mh	53.30	53.59	54.40	Tullamore	17/05/2026
					54.16		Tullamore	30/05/2026
							Loughborough	18/04/2026
Arron Whelan	Dunboyne	Gerard Ronan	400mh	54.07	54.29	54.40	Tullamore Carlow	17/05/2026 24/05/2026
Charlie O'Neill	Donore Harriers	Eugene O'Neill	1500m	3:49.52	3:52.11i	3:53.50	Brussels	24/05/2026
				3:50.38			Belfast	09/05/2026
							Athlone	14/03/2026
			800m	1:52.77		1:53.00	Clonmel	02/05/2026
Luke Merrigan	Leevale	Valerie Vaughan	1500m	3:52.03	3:53.19	3:53.50	Brussels	24/05/2026
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<i>Daniel Glennon</i>	Mullingar Harriers	Matthew Glennon	5000m Walk	22:09.14i		23:00.00	NIA, Dublin	01/03/2026
<i>Kevin O'Shea</i>	Farranfore Maine Valley	Sean O'Shea	Javelin	64.91m		64.90m	Carlow	24/06/2026